

House Resolution 1597

By: Representatives Parrish of the 156th, Jackson of the 142nd, Morris of the 155th, Ralston of the 7th, Jones of the 46th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Georgia State Patrol Post 19; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, the Georgia State Patrol officers of the Swainsboro Post are highly regarded by
3 the citizens of this state and the local community as officers of unquestioned integrity who
4 are dedicated to the sound principles of law enforcement; and

5 WHEREAS, Post 19 of the Georgia State Patrol is located in Swainsboro, Georgia, and
6 officers of this post protect and serve the citizens of Emanuel, Jefferson, Johnson, and
7 Treutlen Counties; and

8 WHEREAS, during the 2009 holiday season, the officers of Post 19 joined forces with the
9 United States Marine Corps Reserve to collect toys for the "Toys for Tots" campaign; and

10 WHEREAS, the dedicated officers of Post 19 handed out fliers and collected toys for
11 children in need outside of the Wal-Mart in Swainsboro; and

12 WHEREAS, with over 1,000 toys accumulated, Post 19 collected more toys for the "Toys
13 for Tots" program than any other Georgia State Patrol post participating in the toy drive; and

14 WHEREAS, thanks to the hard work of post officers SGT Brad Mosher, STPR Earl
15 Anderson, STPR Archie Johnson, STPR Stan Powell, TFC Larry Perkins, and TFC Marvin
16 Welch, many children experienced the joy and delight of opening a new toy this holiday
17 season; and

18 WHEREAS, the selfless and generous dedication to improving the lives of children
19 demonstrated by the officers of Georgia State Patrol Post 19 is worthy of recognition.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 the members of this body commend the care, fortitude, and selfless dedication exhibited by

22 the officers of Georgia State Patrol Post 19 and extend to them their utmost appreciation for
23 having so purely and truly defined for others the meaning of public service.

24 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
25 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Georgia State Patrol Post
26 19.